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G. P. Putnam's Sons have just ready "A History of Oratory and Orators: a study of the influence of oratory on politics and literature, with examples from the lives of the famous orators of the world's history," by Henry Hardwicke, a member of the New York Bar; "The Strange Schemes of Randolph Mason," a volume of stories by Melville Davisson Post, in which are presented some curious problems in connection with the existing criminal laws; and the New York Herald \$1000 prize poem-" Abraham Lincoln, the poem of the people," by Lyman Whitney Allen ("Sangamon").

THE AMERICAN PUBLISHERS CORPORATION, New York, have just ready paper editions of the following books: Herman Melville's "White Jacket, or, the world in a man-of-war," and "Omoo, a narrative of adventure in the South Sea," in the *Illustrated Series*; and his "Moby Dick, or, the White Whale," in the *Belgravia Series*; "The King's Daughters," by Ellen E. Dickinson, in the Series of American Novels; "The Cuban Liberated, or, saved by the sword," by Robert Rexdale, in the Belmore Series; "Christine," by Adeline Sergeant, in the Windermere Series; and the following additions to the Fortnightly Series: "Eunice Quince, a New England romance," by Dane Conyngham; "As the Wind Blows," by Eleanor Merron; and "Jill, a London flower girl," by L. T. Meade. In August they will publish, in the Fortnightly Series, "Lou," by Baron von Robert, and "The Average Woman," by Wolcott Balestier; and in the Lakewood Series, "Joshua Wray," by Hans Beattie, formerly commissioner of the New York City street-cleaning department.

THE MACMILLAN COMPANY have already published a considerable number of books bearing more or less directly on the history of England, including narratives of its political history, its constitutional and industrial development, etc., and will very shortly add to these "An Introduction to the History of the Church of England, from the Earliest Times to the Present Day," by Henry O. Wakeman, author of a volume in the Periods of European History Series on "The Ascendancy of France, A.D. 1598-1715." The book is not a manual or text-book. but is rather an answer, in a short and convenient form, to the question, "How is it that the Church of England has come to be what it is?" The author aims to trace the origin of that which has proved to be permanent in the history of the Church, and to indicate in his outline all that is structurally important. He has laid special stress upon those periods in which the Church was occupying new ground, influenced by new ideas, working under new conditions adapting herself to new needs; such, for example, as the periods of her establishment, her development under Norman influence, her reformation in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, and her

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Composite geometrical figures. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1896. c. 6+57 p. Do. (Mathematical ser.) cl., 55 c. [2476]
Designed to meet the need felt in the author's classes at the High School, Worcester, Mass., for the specific application of geometrical principles. Ninety per cent. of average pupils fail when asked to perform original abstractions. Pupils are hereby to be taught to select the figure needed for the demonstration of the given proposition from among those not beging on the given proposition from among those not bearing on the subject, thereby showing they have grasped the principle taught, although unable to invent the figures for its demonstration. The examples and questions under the figures are also suggestive for original work.

Bardeen, C: W. A manual of common-school law. [New ed. enl.] Syracuse, N. Y., C: W. Bardeen, 1896. c. 2+290 p. S. (Standard teachers' lib.) cl., \$1. [2477] First published in 1875. The matter has been changed in the various editions, as required by new

changed in the various editions, as required by new statute laws, but has never been entirely rewritten until this issue, which is entirely up to date. It includes the author's "Handbook for school trustees," and adds all questions in school law given at uniform examinations from the first to March, 1896; with full answers as published by the State Department, corrected to date according to changes in the law. A new chapter on rules and regulations is added, and the references are extended. The law relating to school officers is based on New York law. References to the laws of other states, however, are made. Contains a key to references and index.

*Brehm, Alfred Edmund. From North Pole to Equator: studies of wild life and scenes in many lands; from the German by Margaret R. Thomson; ed. by J. Arthur Thomson; il. from original drawings. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 592 p. 8°, cl., \$6.

*Broadbent, J. F., M.D. Adherent pericardium. N. Y., W. Wood & Co., 1896. 126 p. 8°, cl., \$1.25.

Bunner, H: Cuyler. The suburban sage: stray notes and comments on his simple life; il. by C. J. Taylor. N. Y., Keppler & Schwarzmann, 1896. c. 5+174 p. por. il. D. cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. [2480 Sixteen short stories first published in Puck. The titles of the most noteworthy are: Mr. Chedby on a regular nuisance; Early stages of the bloomer fever; The suburban horse; The building craze; The society church; The suburban dog; The evolution of the

*Burnham, S. M. Pleasant memories of foreign travel. Bost., Bradlee Whidden, Pleasant memories of 1896. il. 8°, cl., net, \$3. [2481

*Caldwell, W: Schopenhauer's system in its philosophical significance. N. Y., im-Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 538 p. [2482 8°, cl., net, \$3.

*Campbell, Rob., ed. Ruling cases; arr., annot., and ed. by Robert Campbell, assisted by other members of the bar; with Am. notes by Irving Browne. V. 8, Criminal law-Deed. Bost., The Boston Book Co., 1896. c. 30+728 p. O. shp., \$5.50. [2483]

*Candlish, W: J. The Illinois law of volun-

tary assignments for the benefit of creditors; being a treatise on the act concerning voluntary assignments, approved May 22, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, and amended by acts in force July 1, 1879, and July 1, 1883, and the decisions of the supreme and appellate courts of Ill. construing these laws with appendix of forms. & Co., 1896. c. 25+222 p. O. shp., \$3. with appendix of forms. Chic., Callaghan

Carey, Rosa Nouchette. Barbara Heathcote's trial: a novel. [New issue.] Chic., E. A. Weeks & Co., [1896.] 503 p. D. (Enterprise ser., no. 88.) pap., 25 c. [2485 See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., August 22, 1876 [708.] 1885, [708.]

*Cervantes Saavedra, Miguel de. The history of Don Quixote of the Mancha; from the Spanish by T: Shelton, annis 1612-1620; with introds. by Ja. Fitzmaurice Kelly. N. Y., imported by C. Scribner's Sons, 1896. 4 v., 1104 p. 8°, (Tudor translation ser.) cl., net, \$20.

Civic Club. Digest of the educational and charitable institutions and societies in Philadelphia; comp. by a Committee of the Social Science Section of the Civic Club; with an introd. on social aspects of Philadelphia relief work by S: McCune Lindsay.

Phil., [Civic Club,] 1895. c. '96. 9+201 p. O. cl., \$1. [2487]
The institutions and societies are described in brief histories, giving their purpose and status. There is included a summary of recent scientific thought on charitable and reform work in this and other countries, with references to the literature of the subject. Index. with references to the literature of the subject. Index.

Club men of New York, 1895-97: their clubs, college alumni associations, occupations, and business and home addresses; with historical sketches of many prominent New York organizations. N. Y., The Republic Press, 1896. c. 619 p. O. cl., \$3. [2488 Gives briefly the salient facts in the history of New York City's principal clubs and societies. In all cases, the location of club-house, incorporation, object, form of government, date of annual meeting, fees and dues are given, with membership and officers. In this second issue five hundred additional names are listed, making a total of 28,000. The book contains the names and addresses of probably the most stirring and active men in America. and business and home addresses; with

*Colorado. Ct. of appeals. Reports of the decisions, including cases determined at the Jan., Apr., and Sept. terms, 1895. T. M. Robinson, rep. V. 6. N. Y. and Alb., Banks & Bros., 1896. c. 27+634 p. O. shp., net, \$5. T2489

Cronin, Rev. Patrick. Memorial of the life and labors of Rt. Rev. Stephen Vincent Ryan, D.D., Second Bishop of Buffalo, N. Y. Buffalo, Catholic Publication Co., 1890.
 c. 10+141 p. pors. il. O. cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. [2490

Bishop Ryan died April 10, 1896. The time covered

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Cunnyngham, W. G. E. Young people's history of the Chinese; with an introd. by Rev. Collins Denny. Nashville, Tenn., Publishing House of the M. E. Church, South, (Barbee & Smith, Agts.,) 1896. 285 p. por. il. D. cl., \$1. [2491] The author states that in a catalogue of 250 works The author states that in a catalogue of 250 works on China he has found but three especially intended for young people, all three small biographies. He has here selected salient features in the national character and history to give young people a just idea of the country and the people, and to make them acquainted with the political problems which have recently brought China so prominently before the world. He was for nine years missionary in China.

*Eccles, W. M. Elementary anatomy and surgery for nurses: a series of lectures de-livered to the nursing staff of the West London Hospital. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 158 p. il. 12°, cl., \$1.

Eddy, Dan. C., D.D. Saxenhurst: a story of the old world and new. Phil., American Baptist Pub. Soc., [1896.] c. 5-440 p. [2493 il. D. cl., \$1.50. [2493]
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characters. Roger Williams's emigration to America
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*Encyclopædia of pleading and practice, under the codes and practice acts, at common law, in equity, and in criminal cases; comp. under the editorial supervision of W: M. McKinney. V. 5, Contributory negligence to Decrees. Northport. N. Y., E: Thompson Co., 1896. c. 1172 p. O.

*Ephraem Syrus. Dissertation on the Gospel commentary of S. Ephraem, the Syrian; with a scriptural index to his works by Rev. J. H. Hill. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 177 p. 8°, cl., \$2. [2495

Flaw (The) in the marble; il. by Harry C. Edwards. N. Y., F: A. Stokes Co., [1896.] c. 240 p. il. nar. S. (Twentieth century ser.) cl., 75 c. [2496] The scene is in the artists' quarter, Paris. Paul Lanthony, a sculptor who lived only for his art and who had won fame and a prize from the Academy, is attracted by the faultless proportions of Madeleine Le Fagon, a popular actress noted for her hauteur. He thinks to immortalize her in marble and calls his creation Circe. After wi ming the gold prize he destroys his work, giving the reasons told in the story.

*Fouché, Jos. Memories of Joseph Fouché, Duke of Otranto, Minister of the General Police of France. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 2 v., 647 p. 8°, (His-toric memoirs, no. 6.) cl., net, \$10. [2497]

*Foye, E: M. How to make abstracts of title and searches. Erie, Pa., Despatch Pr. and Eng. Co., 1896. c. 32 p. D. skiver, \$1. [2498

*Galton, Frank W., ed. Workers on their industries. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 239 p. 12°, (Social science ser.) cl., \$1.

*Gounod, C: François. Charles Gounod: autobiographical reminiscences; with family letters and notes on music; from the French by W. Hely Hutchinson. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 267 p. 8°, cl., \$3.

*Hale, W: B. Handbook on the law of damages. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1896. c. 11+466 p. O. (The hornbook ser.) shp., \$3.75. [2501

Hassloch, A. C. Compend of veterinary materia medica and therapeutics. N. Y., W: R. Jenkins, [1896.] c. 2+225 p. D. cl.,

The author is lecturer on materia medica and therapeutics and professor of veterinary dentistry at the New York College of Veterinary Surgery. The various drugs used in veterinary medicine are classified under the effects caused by them. A good alphabetical index makes the book practical.

Homer, [Gk. Homeros.] Iliad. Bks. 1, 6, 22, 24; tr. by Alex. Pope. N. Y., American Book Co., 1896. 120 p. D. (Eclectic English classics.) bds., 20 c. Classics.) Dds., 20 c.

Pope's translation of the "Iliad" is issued here as a text-book. An introduction contains a biographical sketch of the blind poet, with mention of some Greek gods immortalized by Homer in the "Iliad," and a brief history of Alexander Pope and his translation, with critical remarks on the literary work of Homer and Pope. Flaherate footnotes.

*Illinois. Appellate cts. Reports of cases, at the Mar. term, 1896, and the Oct. term, 1895, of the 1st district; the Aug. term, 1895, of the 4th district, and the May term, 1895, of the 3d district. V. 63. Rep. by Martin L. Newell. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1896. c. 683 p. O. shp., \$3.75. [2504]

and Pope. Elaborate footnotes.

*Illinois. Supreme ct. Reports of cases, v. 160, cont. cases in which opinions were filed in Mar., 1896, and also cases in which applications for rehearing were denied at the Mar. term, 1896. I: Newton Phillips, Springfield, 1896. c. 710 p. O. shp. reg. \$2.25. [2505

*Innes, Alex. Taylor. John Knox. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 158 p. 12°, (Famous Scots ser.) cl., 75 c.

*Iowa. Supreme ct. Reports of cases, May 14, 1894-Oct. 8, 1894, by Benj. I. Salinger. V. 2, being v. 91 of the ser. Columbia, Mo., E. W. Stephens, 1896. c. 9+812 p. [2507 O. shp., \$3.

*James, R. N. Painters and their works: a dictionary of great artists who are not now alive, giving their names, lives, and the prices paid for their works at auction. In 3 v. V. 1, Aalst to Hayre. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 612 p. [2508 12°, cl., \$5.

*Johnson, S: Lives of the poets. New ed., with notes and introd. by Arthur Waugh. In 6 v. V. 3. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 235 p. 16°, cl., \$2.50. [2509

*Jones, Leonard A. A treatise on the law of real property as applied between vendor and purchaser in modern conveyancing, or estates in fee and their transfer by deed. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1896. c. 2 v., 174+783; 8+853 p. O. shp., \$12.

Jordan, D: Starr. The care and culture of men: a series of addresses on the higher education. San Francisco, Cal., The Whitaker & Ray Co., 1896. c. 5+268 p. O. cl., \$1.

Contents: The value of higher education; The evolution of the college curriculum; The nation's need of men; The care and culture of men; The scholar in the community; The school and the state; The higher education of women; The training of the physician; Law schools and lawyers; The practical education; Science in the high school; Science and the colleges; Procession of life; The growth of man; The social order; The saving of time: The new university; A castle in Spain. Originally delivered to teachers and students, and first published in the Forum, Popular Science, etc.; most of the articles have been retouched.

*Kansas. Cts. of appeals. Reports of cases, A. M. F. Randolph, rep. V. 2, cont. 127 cases of those decided from Oct. 1, 1895, to Apr. 3, 1896. Topeka, Kansas State Print. Co., 1896. c. 13+923 p. O. shp., \$3.50.

*Kansas. Supreme ct. Reports of cases. A. M. F. Randolph, rep. V. 56, cont. cases decided at the July term, 1895, and the Jan. term, 1896. Topeka, The Kansas State Print. Co., 1896. c. 17+948 p. O. shp., \$3.50.

*Kentucky. Ct. of appeals. Reports of civil and criminal cases. V. 11, 12, 13, 14. E: W. Hines, rep. V. 93, 94, 95, 96, Ky. reports, cont. cases decided from Mar. 10, 1892, to Feb. 21, 1895. Frankfort, Capital Print. Co., 1894. c. '95. ea., \$5. [2514]

*Kenyon, F. G. Our Bible and the ancient manuscripts: a history of the text and its translations. New ed.; with 26 fac-similes. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 255 p. 8°, cl., \$2.

*Kilpatrick, Rev. T. B. Christian character: a study in New Testament morality. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 117 p. 24°, (Bible-class primers.) pap., 25 c.

*Knight, J. H. Notes on motor carriages; with hints for purchasers and users. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 84 p. il. 12°, cl., \$1. [2517]

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*Lawyers' reports annotated, cited "L. R. A." Digest, cases—v. 21-30, with full table of cases and index to annot. and briefs, v. 1-30. Rochester, N. Y., The Lawyers' Coop. Pub. Co., 1896. c. 122 p. O. shp., \$2.50.

*McArthur, Alex. Anton Rubinstein: a biographical sketch. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 154 p. 12°, cl., \$1.25.

*McCrie, C. G., D.D. The Free Church of Scotland: her ancestry, her claims, and her conflicts. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1896. 117 p. 24°, (Bible-class primers.) pap., 25 c. [2521]

*Maine. A supp. to the revised statutes of the state, being the public laws of Me. for the years 1885-1895, inclusive, arr. to show each new enactment and the present reading of each amended section under its appropriate chapter, [etc.,] by Elias Dudley Freeman. Portland, Loring, Short & Harmon, 1895. c. 648 p. O. shp., \$6. [2522]

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In these days of the inverted, or tobogganing, system of trade, one lesson to be learned from the business career of the late Joseph Wesley Harper, Jr., deserves to be especially emphasized—the value of his apprenticeship and thorough training for the position he was intended to occupy. His ancestors had faith in the principle that the way to succeed in a calling is to begin at the bottom. To this principle and the slow process it necessitates is due the success and solidity of the house of Harper & Brothers, as also that of D. Appleton & Co., Charles Scribner's Sons, and the few others who through panics, war, and other crises remain standing and grow steadily, if slowly. No doubt the process to the superficial seems discouragingly slow. The ancestry of the houses mentioned, according to these reasoners, wasted ten, twenty, or thirty years of their lives in acquiring first the rudiments and then the inner ramifications of their trade or profession, and even then, forsooth, admitted that they were always learning or ready to learn. The modern generation considers this modus operandi eminently ridiculous. They thank their stars that they have changed all this. They are born with the silver spoon of knowledge in their mouths; for them there is no wearing of the swaddling clothes of commercial infancy; no drudgery of learning the A B C of

technical trade; no laborious climbing of the ladder of prosperity. The topmost rung of the ladder is the place for them to begin. So callow youth rushes into business that gray-haired men hesitate to undertake, and learns it downwards, beginning at the top of the edifice and gravitating downwards sometimes even to the bankruptcy courts, perchance carrying one or more of their eager supporters with them in their course. General Grant was once asked why it was that certain men who had been eminently successful in business were such dismal failures as military commanders. His reply was, "Unfortunately they began their military career as major-generals." The application of the moral is self-evident. No young man can hope to succeed in any career, least of all as a publisher or bookseller, unless he is willing to undergo a thorough apprenticeship in the rudiments, and a probationary period in the higher branches of his calling. After he has absorbed the elements of his chosen work, and gradually expanded his knowledge until it has embraced and assimilated the broad principles and minute details of his occupation, he may enter into the estate of the master. Of this the late Joseph Wesley Harper, Jr., was an illustrious example. To invert the process is to invite defeat, which in nine cases out of ten is inevitable.

THE ANNUAL DINNER OF COMMER-CIAL TRAVELLERS OF THE BOOK TRADE.

The representatives of the book trade celebrated their annual reunion in July, in Chicago, by a banquet, held at the Palmer House, on Wednesday evening, July 22. The guests sat down to discuss the dinner shortly after eight o'clock. Speeches were made and a most enjoyable evening was passed by all. The ceremonies of the evening were opened by the chairman and toast-master, Samuel Carson, who recited an adaptation of "Tom Moore's" famous poem, "And does not meeting like this make amends?" J. H. Tewksbury responded to the toast "Chicago, the Giant City of the Plains"; Frank Morris, to "The Ups and Downs of a Bookseller"; George Noble, to "Health, Wealth, and Prosperity of the Chicago Book Trade"; Jeffrey M. Ruston, to "Large Orders"; L. Coues Page, to "Boston"; L. Howes Crowell, to "The Modern Missionary, sometimes called a Travelling Man, and not always as good as he ought to be"; and J. Fred Waggoner, to "Friends of 'Auld Lang Syne' and our absent loved ones."

The guests were also entertained by songs, which were delightfully rendered by Messrs. Solomon, Caldwell, and Turner. Al. Macmullen—"Our Coachman"—recited a "poem," which was enjoyed by all, and David McKay told one of his many humorous stories.

David McKay also led the touching ceremony of passing the loving cup, and performed the duty to the gratification of all. Tomasco's full

string orchestra gave some very fine musical selections throughout the evening.

Credit is due to Messrs. Carson, Caldwell, Irish, and their assistants for the admirable manner in which everything was arranged.

The clock was beginning to turn its hands to the small figures when the gathering broke up, with the wish being freely expressed that each year might see more and more around the festal board.

The following were the guests of honor: O. D. Irwin, of the Western News Co.; R. K. Smith, of A. C. McClurg & Co.; F. D. Drake, of Montgomery Ward & Co.; Owen Brewer, of Western Book and Stationery Co.; Geo. Noble, of A. C. McClurg & Co.; D. A. Allen, of D. A. Allen & Co.; J. H. Tewksbury, of Congrega-tional Book Concern; C. M. Rowe, of Baptist Book Concern; T. P. Siddall, of A. M. Roths child & Co.; E. D. O'Kane, of Western Metho dist Book Concern; Myron H. Fish and Frank Morris, of Fleming H. Revell Co.; J. Fred

Waggoner, of the Western Stationer.

The publishing trade was represented by the following members: Sam. Carson, of The Amerfollowing members: Sam. Carson, of The American Publishers Corporation, N. Y.; A. L. Burt, of A. L. Burt, N. Y.; Jeffery M. Ruston, of Hurst & Co., N. Y.; R. F. Leask, of George Routledge & Sons, N. Y.; A. Wessels, of Thos. Whittaker, N. Y.; V. W. Cupples, of Lothrop Pub. Co., Boston.; L. Coues Page, of The Joseph Knight Co., Boston; John Macrae, of E. P. Dutton & Co., N. Y.; Arthur Saulfield, of the Merriam Co., N. Y.; D. D. Merrill, of Merrill & Baker, N. Y.; Fred Tuft, of Dodd, Mead & Co., N. Y.; Horace Riddings, of J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia: Wm. Corrigan, of Lippincott Co., Philadelphia; Wm. Corrigan, of G. P. Putnam's Sons, N. Y.; David McKay, of David McKay, Philadelphia; F. E. Coombs, of W. L. Allison & Co., N. Y.; J. A. Solomon, of Frederick Warne & Co., N. Y.; Albert Turner, of Cassell Pub. Co., N. Y.; A. D. Macmillan, of The Rogers Co., Philadelphia; L. Howes Crowell, of T. Y. Crowell & Co., N. Y.; L. Nourse, of H. Altemus, Philadelphia; Fred D. Irish, of Lee & Shepard, Boston; Clarence A. Caldwell, of Estes & Lauriat, Boston.

HOW SOME ENGLISH AUTHORS INTEND TO PROTECT THEMSELVES.

"The author has turned at last," says the New York *Tribune*, "and in a way of which not even the doughty Sir Walter Besant would seem to have thought before. There are two of him, the turning worm, and they dwell somewhere in provincial England. This is an extract from the circular they send with their book: 'As the authors highly disapprove of the skinny profits system of trade, the people being obliged to devote themselves entirely to their business, body and soul, the price through the trade will be 7s. net (order prepaid). Considering the amount of labor that has been expended in the production of this book, the price (5s. and postage) is not dear. The authors cannot undertake to pay tradesmen's profits for selling the book. Readers must do this themselves, or else purchase direct. No presentation copies. A limited number only printed. Reviewers requiring copies should apply early, sending cash with order, else no notice will be taken of it.' That last touch, for the reviewer, is certainly a master-stroke.'

A COMEDY, OR A TRAGEDY, WHICH?

In Four Acts.

SCENE: BOOK-STORE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Customer. Do you take subscriptions to magazines?

Clerk. Yes.

Customer. I want to subscribe to McMunton's Magazine; what is the price?

Clerk. One dollar per year.

Customer. Is that the best clubbing rate? Clerk. It is the price of the magazine.

Customer. Well, send it for one year to my address, and commence with the January num-

[Pays one dollar and asks for receipt.]

Clerk then proceeds to bookkeeper, hands in a memorandum and procures a receipt.

Bookkeeper then enters the transaction, address, time of commencement, and term of subscription. He then takes a postal-order form, and makes out an application for post-office order for 85 cents; the boy is then sent to the post-office, three blocks away, for the moneyorder. On his return bookkeeper proceeds to write the necessary letter to the publisher, and

encloses the money-order. Cost: Magazine, 85 cents; post-office order, 3 cents; stamp, 2 cents; clerk's time, bookkeeper's time, boy's time, stationery.]

ACT II.

(Six days later.)

Customer. I have come to see about my magazine which I subscribed for some time ago.

I have not received it yet.

Clerk. Well, there has not yet been time for it to arrive; it was ordered direct from the publishers to be sent to your address, but it takes a fortnight to get the first number from New York; afterwards it will come regularly by mail, as it is published; there will be no delay after the first number.

Customer. Oh, I suppose I shall have to wait, but I thought you would send me the first number up from the store.

ACT III.

(Two months later.)

Customer. I have come to complain that my McMunton's Magazine comes very irregularly. I see it in the shop-windows sometimes two days before I receive mine. It is very strange it is not attended to more promptly.

Clerk. Well, madam, it comes direct from the office to your address by mail, and we suppose you receive it as soon as possible after publi-

cation.

Customer. Well, I wish you would write to the publishers and tell them that it does not come on time, and ask them to mail it earlier.

Clerk. All right.

ACT IV. SCENE I.

(Three months later.)

Customer. I have not received my magazine at all this month.

Clerk. Haven't you? Well, that is too bad. I suppose you will be sure to get it in a day or two; it may have been delayed in the mail, or missent.

Customer. Well, I have had to complain sev-

eral times. I never had any trouble when I subscribed through Mr. Brown. Did you write about it when I asked you before?

Clerk (makes an equivocal answer and then says): Well, if you don't receive it in a day or two, let me know, and I will write again.

ACT IV. SCENE II. (A few days later.)

Customer. My McMunton's Magazine for this month has not yet arrived, and I am very much

annoyed.

Clerk. Well, really, I am very sorry, but I cannot help it. The fault lies rather with the publisher or the post-office, and I can do noth-

Customer. Did you write about it?

Clirk (confidently this time): Oh, yes, but there has not been time for an answer at pres-

Customer. Can't I take a copy for this month from your counter, because I have paid you for it, and it must have been lost in the mail? I haven't had it, and I want to read it.

Clerk (thinking this is the easiest way out of the difficulty): All right, and if your copy

turns up, you can return it to me.

Customer. Well, I'm going to do some shopping. Can't you send it out to 3927 Western Addition? (Magazine, 10 cents; fare 10 cents.)

[Clerk says "Yes," but doesn't do so; thinks he will run the chance of the missing copy turning up by mail.]

ACT IV. SCENE III.

(Two days later.)

Customer (with fire in her eyes): I have called again about that magazine which I subscribed for through you, and which has been attended to so unsatisfactorily. I have had to call a number of times about it, and it is very annoying of you to give me so much trouble about it. I haven't had this month's, and you promised to send it up to my residence two days ago, and you didn't do it.

Clerk. The boy hasn't been going your way for a day or two, or I would have sent it along.

Customer. Well, why didn't you tell me you couldn't send it, and I would have taken it myself?

Clerk (who wants to be obliging): Well, madam, I will be sure to send it to day. (But this time he unfortunately forgets it.)

ACT IV. SCENE IV. (The next day.)

Customer (in a rage, store full of people, in a loud voice): I want to see the proprietor.

Proprietor has been busily engaged for the past half hour with a customer who is undecided whether to take a set of Thackeray at \$75.00 or \$125.00. He has just got him to see the advantages of the higher priced edition, the superiority of the engravings and type, and his customer has almost said, "Well, send me the best edition."

Magazine Customer. Are you the proprietor?

Proprietor. Yes, madam.

Magazine Customer. I've come to complain of the most shameful treatment I have been receiving in this store. I subscribed for McMunton's Magazine several months ago, and it doesn't come regularly. Your clerk has promised to write about it, but I don't think he has done it. He promised to send me this month's number three times, and he has not done it, and I want to say that if you cannot supply it you had better give me my money back.

Proprietor. Madam, I am sorry the magazine does not come regularly, but I cannot hold myself responsible; your subscription was for-warded in the ordinary course and paid for, and the trouble is either with the publisher or the postman. It has been written about.

Customer. Well, but I don't get my magazine. Cannot you send me a copy every month from the store, and then I should be sure to get it?

Proprietor. No, madam. We have already forwarded the price of your subscription to the

East, and cannot do this.

Customer. Well, I was never treated in such a manner before. I have paid for my magazine, and I cannot get it; if this is the way you do business I will transfer my trade elsewhere.

[Proprietor turns to his Thackeray customer and finds he has gone. Clerk says, "Mr. Wilson left word that he could not make up his mind which set to take, and he would bring his wife in next week."

Proprietor (to clerk): John, if ever you take another order for McMunton's Magazine you may hand in your resignation at the same time.

WILLIAM DOXEY.

A MEMORIAL TO DR. WILLIAM FRED-ERICK POOLE.

THE American Library Association has twice, by a unanimous vote, decided to erect a memorial to the late Dr. Wm. F. Poole. At the Denver Conference the following were appointed a committee to consider details and solicit sub-scriptions: Frederick M. Crunden, chairman, librarian St. Louis Public Library; J. N. Wing, Charles Scribner's Sons, N. Y.; W. I. Fletcher, librarian Amherst College; and G. E. Wire, M.D., secretary and treasurer, 1574 Judson Ave., Evanston, Illinois.

The committee recommended that the memorial take the form of a bronze bust, to be placed in the Chicago Public Library or the Newberry Library with a suitable pedestal, and this recommendation was formally adopted.

Dr. Poole has other claims on the recogni-tion of all cultivated people; but it is chiefly as a practical librarian that he will be remembered. He did more than any other one person in America to elevate librarianship to the dignity of a profession. In honoring him, therefore, library workers honor themselves and repay in some measure the debt of gratitude that every member of the fraternity, from the highest to the humblest, owes to his pioneer labors, his shrewd common sense, and his ready, helpful counsel.

In accordance with its instructions, the committee therefore appeals to library workers of every grade for contributions to a memorial in honor of one who, in character and deed, deserved so well of his fellow-men and did so much for his fellow-laborers. It is hoped that a prompt and universal response will be made to this appeal, so that the committee may make a definite report at the coming conference. Subscriptions may be sent to Dr. G. E. Wire, secretary and treasurer, or to any member of the committee.

FUNERAL OF JOSEPH W. HARPER.

THE funeral of Joseph Wesley Harper was held on Friday morning, July 24, at St. Thomas's Chapel, 230 East 60th Street, New York. The services were unostentatious. There were no flowers, and no pall-bearers, and the music consisted of familiar hymns.

The body was accompanied to the chapel from 562 Fifth Avenue by Mr. Harper's immediate family. The Rev. John Huske, curate of St. Thomas's Church, read the service.

"Lead, Kindly Light," "Softly Now the Light of Day," and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" were sung by the regular quartet of St. Thomas's Church—Mrs. J. A. Gramm, Miss Emily Winant, Mr. Dennison, and Dr. Carl L. Martin. George Macculloch Miller, James C. Fargo, H. C. Fahnestock, and John T. Atterbury, vestrymen of the church, were present. The chief mourners were Mrs. Harper, the widow;

H. C. Fahnestock, and John T. Atterbury, vestrymen of the church, were present. The chief mourners were Mrs. Harper, the widow; Henry Sleeper Harper, Mrs. Bradley A. Fiske, and Bradley A. Fiske. Among the other relatives present were J. Henry Harper, John W. Harper, and James Thorne Harper. There were also in attendance George L. Rives, Professor Butler, of Columbia University; John C. Southwick, Professor E. D. Perry, of Columbia; Professor H. T. Peck, of Columbia; Richard Watson Gilder, Frederick A. Nast, Professor Drisler, of Columbia; John Kendrick Bangs, E. A. Dowling, H. L. Nelson, Mrs. Margaret E. Sangster, E. C. Stedman, Charles Collins, Dr. Draper, Thomas Nast, Joseph L. Blamire, R. R. Bowker, H. M. Alden, Mr. Deshler, for many years connected with the Harper art department, and representatives of the employees of Harper & Brothers.

After the funeral services the body was taken to Woodlawn Cemetery and interred in the family plot.

OBITUARY NOTES.

LUTHER WHITNEY MASON, author and publisher of the National Course of Public School Music, died in Buckfield, Me., July 14, aged 68.

MARCELLUS R. WARREN, who began his career in the stationery business in Boston in 1858, died suddenly at Nantasket, Mass., July 15, aged 60.

WILLIAM HENRY SMITH, a well-known journalist and the author of a number of historical works relating to Ohio and the West generally, died in Lake Forest, near Chicago, July 26. He was born at Austerlitz, Columbia Co., N. Y., December 1, 1833. Among his more widely known books are a "Political History of the United States" and "St. Clair Papers."

CHARLES T. EVANS, who for many years was connected with the book trade, died at his residence in Mt. Vernon, N. Y., July 22. He was born in Sumatra, in 1823, and came to New York twenty years later, beginning as clerk in the book-store of M. W. Dodd. Some years after he formed the firm of Evans & Co., and carried on a subscription-book business at the corner of Fourth Street and Broadway, in New York City. After a few years he sold out his interest to his partner, Mr. Dickinson, and entered the employ of George P. Putnam. In 1858 he established himself at 327 Broadway, above Pearl Street, as agent for the sale of

special books. In 1864 he went to Kansas and started the Ottawa *Home Journal*. He was at one time publisher of the *Leavenworth Bulletin*. Some years ago he severed his connection with the book trade and became an agent for the Mutual Reserve Company.

GEORGE BUSSEY LORING, senior member of the firm of Loring, Short & Harmon, booksellers and stationers, Portland, Me., died suddenly at Rockland, Me., of heart disease, on July 25. Mr. Loring went to Rockland on the afternoon train and on arriving there boarded an electric car, where he expired almost immediately. Mr. Loring was about sixty-two years of age and was born at Thomaston. He began his business career at an early age as clerk for Francis Blake, the bookseller. There he was associated with James Noyes, afterward of the firm of Bailey & Noyes. This was before the war. During the war Mr. Loring made several voyages with his uncle, Capt. Charles Haskell, and became a ship's officer, but in 1865 he associated himself with Leonard O. Short, under the firm-name of Short & Loring. They bought out the retail store of Bailey & Noyes, and although burned out in the fire of 1866 their business remained uncrippled. A new partner, C. C. Harmon, was admitted in 1868, and the style then became Loring, Short & Harmon, a name destined to acquire a wide and solid reputation among the business houses of New England. For twenty-eight years the firm remained unchanged. As a business man Mr. Loring was enterprising and devoted, sothat few men of his State were better known or liked. He leaves a widow, son, and daughter.

CHARLES DICKENS, the eldest son of the novelist, died in London, July 21, aged 59 years. All his life long he had been known solely as the son of his great father. His inherited reputation had acted as a handicap rather than an aid, and the result was that he was not very successful. For many years Mr. Dickens was a partner in the printing-house of Dickens & Evans, in London, which eventually went into bankruptcy. At the time of his father's death, in 1870, Charles Dickens, Jr., was a clerk in the employ of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts. All through his last years the older Dickens tried to interest his son in literary pursuits, but without much success. After his father's death, however, he took charge of the magazine All the Year Round, and managed it with some degree of success, although in the end he was obliged to consent to its consolidation with Household Words, of which publication he became the editor. As a writer he did little beyond the compilation of some satisfactory handbooks of London, Paris, the Thames, and other localities. He also prepared the introductions to the edition of his father's works recently published by the Macmillan Co. In 1887 Mr. Dickens visited this country on a lecturing tour. He read solely from his father's writings, but the tour, though popular enough, did not prove a success financially.

JOHN GAST, the inventor of the "three-color" process, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., July 26, aged fifty-five years. He was born in Berlin, but was brought to this country when only a few months old. The family settled in St. Louis. Young Gast returned to Berlin to complete his

He was graduated from the Royal Academy in Berlin, and returned to St. Louis, where he formed the Gast Lithographic Co. (now Gast-Paul). In three years Gast sold out his interest and went to Paris, where he studied chromo art under Thürwanger. On returning, he established the New York Daily Graphic in New York in 1871. The Graphic was run successfully for about five years. One of its main features was a page devoted to lithographs made by a special process invented by Mr. Later on he started the lithographing firm of Gast & Co., now known as Grey & Co. After five years with this company he sold out his interest and started the Photo-chrome Company. This company used several processes which were invented by Mr. Gast, and soon gained a wide reputation in the lithographic world. He held seven patents on different fine processes for lithographing, but his process which is most widely known is the "three-color" process. About two years ago Mr. Gast left the Photo-chrome Company on account of failing health. For the last ten months he has been an invalid and a constant sufferer.

REUBEN LIPMANN, alias Roman Ivanovitch Zubof, alias the Count de Zubof, alias "Robert Appleton," ended his career by hanging himself in a cell in the Jefferson Market Prison, New York, July 29. Nothing is known of his birth. He claimed to be a Russian and, at the time of his imprisonment, said he was 29 years of He was unable to speak Russian and appeared to be about forty years of age. Zubof was first heard of in Dublin, where he appeared in 1886. Under the name of Lipmann he matriculated at Trinity College, but was never a member of the college, though influence procured him admission to the Philosophical Society, before which he actually read a paper. In Dublin he was associated with two Lithuanian Jews, said to have been Zubof's brothers, in a moneylending scheme that was carried on under the cover of an old-clothes business. After a short career in Dublin and London, where he had won and abused the confidence of such men as William Morris. Prince Krapotkin, Stepniak, the Rossettis, and others, and had served a term in prison for forgery, he came to this country in He made his home in Boston, where he made great pretensions as a Russian nobleman. He soon became a favorite with the leading literary set in the Back Bay; he also became a welcome contributor to leading Boston and New York journals, and everything went swimmingly with him until John Boyle O'Reilly exposed him in the Boston Pilot as a literary thief. For a time he maintained his position, but one after the other his victims dropped him. revenge himself he wrote a novel entitled "Mrs. Harry St. John" (1892), in which he made scurrilous attacks on a number of his former protectors. After this episode he was completed ostracized from society in Boston. Since then he lived in Chicago, Philadelphia, and New York, where his buncoing methods met with varying success. In December last he came to New York, and put up at the Waldorf. From there he went to the Hotel Cambridge, at Fifth Avenue and Thirty-third Street, where he lived until May 30 without paying his bills. He left on that date, saying that he was going to Philadelphia. His trunks and other belongings remained at the Cambridge. He was

seen accidentally on the 27th ult. in the corridor of the Murray Hill Hotel by Mr. Walters, the proprietor of the Cambridge, who dunned the bogus count for the amount of his bill. Zubof promised to call on Mr. Walters on the 30th, but instead of calling he made the mistake of informing Walters that he was about to sail for Europe, and promised to pay on his return. Walters promptly secured a warrant, and arrested Zubof a few moments before the New York, of the American Line, left her dock, An hour later he was found hanging to the door of his cell, his handkerchief having been tied round his neck and attached to one of the upper bars. He published the following under the pseudonym of "Robert Appleton": "Mr. Philip St. Clair" (1893), "Elena, a story of a Russian woman" (1894), "After the Manner of Men" (1894), "Violet, the American Sappho" 1894), and "Rise of Mrs. Simpson" (1895). In (1890 he published, as by Count Zubof, "Viera: a romance 'twixt the real and ideal," which, like most of his written work, was branded as a plagiarism. For a short time he edited a department in The Newsman.

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

THE issue for July 25 is the "Fiftieth Anniversary Number" of the Scientific American, published by Munn & Co., 361 Broadway, New York. The number covers 72 folio pages and comprises a review of the progress of industrial arts and sciences during the past fifty years. The following are the titles of some of the subjects treated: The Trans-Atlantic Steamship, Railroads and Bridges, Physics and Chemistry, Progress of Printing, Iron and Steel, Phonograph, Telephone, Naval and Coast Defence, The Sewing-Machine, Electric Engineering, The Locomotive, Photography, Telegraph, Telescopes, and The Bicycle.

GEORGE WATKINS, Indianapolis, has in preparation the first number of the Magazine of Americana. The design of this journal will be to place, four times a year, before collectors, booksellers, and librarians a complete register of new books published in this country and abroad, which relate to the antiquities, history, and geography of America, the West Indies, and the South Sea. As only geographical, historical, and antiquarian works are to be described in the lists, the Magazine of Americana will have features of permanent interest and worth, present and hereafter, to the bibliographer, the historian, and the student of New World history. In the bibliography of new books, which will be first in the order of contents of each number, the title of each work will be printed, word for word, as in the original, with the place and date of printing, publisher's name, number of volumes, pages, maps and plates, size and binding, to which will be added a table of contents. The Magazine of Americana will give especial attention to old books, and will print bibliographical notices of and extracts from old accounts of the early voyages, discoveries, conquests, settlements, explorations, and travels in America between the years 1492 and 1800, by the Spanish, Portuguese, French, Dutch, English, and other nations. The first issue is promised for October next.

BUSINESS NOTES.

AUGUSTA, GA.—Z. T. Stiner, bookseller, is dead.

Boston, Mass.—We regret to learn that Wm. B. Clarke, doing business as Wm. B. Clarke & Co., booksellers and stationers, has been obliged to make an assignment.

CHICAGO, ILL.—A. C. Kasten, manager of the retail stationery department of A. C. Mc-Clurg & Co., has gone to Europe in the interests of his house.

CRIPPLE CREEK, COL.—E. E. Salisbury will open a book-store here.

DES MOINES, IA.—The Des Moines Book and Stationery Co. has opened business at 514 Walnut Street. D. H. Hooker is president of the company, Chas. M. Schissler, vice-president and secretary, and Daniel L. Barker, treasurer and manager.

Monmouth, Ill.—The doors of the R. A. Wilson Furniture, Book, and Stationery Co. were closed July 16, under chattel mortgage for \$7700, given to parties in this place and to the United Presbyterian Board of Publication. Inability to make collections is the cause assigned.

Newburg, N. Y.—Oliver W. Boothroyd has opened a book and stationery store at 26 Colden Street. Mr. Boothroyd was formerly a member of the firm of Boothroyd Bros.

NEW YORK CITY.—According to the Critic, "A. I. du P. Coleman has established the Fordham Press at 185th Street and Third Avenue. The name has a literary flavor, as befits a printing establishment in Poe's old home; and Mr. Coleman himself is an accomplished manof-letters, of American birth but Oxford training."

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—The Historical Publishing Society and Henry S. Smith, individually, have made assignments for the benefit of their creditors. The liabilities are stated to be \$125,000 and the assets \$300,000, of which a large portion is in machinery and stock which cannot be immediately realized upon. Slow collections caused the failure.

SACRAMENTO, CAL.—The stock of Henry Fuchs, newsdealer and stationer, is advertised for sale.

VAN BUREN, ARK.—Eugene Bennett, bookseller, has sold out to B. C. Covey.

VICTOR, CAL.—The Victor Book and Stationery Co. has given a chattel mortgage for \$1447.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

THE USEFUL KNOWLEDGE Co., New York, has just issued a work entitled "The Art of Rising in the World," by Henry Hardwicke.

C. KEGAN PAUL is about to sever his connection with the publishing house which it is customary in trade circles to indicate by his name. Mr. Paul's retirement is greatly due, we are sorry to learn, to his recent accident in the streets of London.

D. B. Ivison, having recently retired from business and the presidency of the American Book Co., of New York, will shortly leave Rutherford, N. J., for a trip around the world. He will be accompanied by his wife and daughters, and William W. Hill, a son-in-law.

All of Rudyard Kipling's poems and stories—and, for that matter, the poems and stories of other distinguished English authors—are copyrighted in this country, and their quotation in newspapers or elsewhere is a violation of the copyright law, carrying serious penalties.

JOHN MURRAY, London, has in press two new works by Edward Whymper. These are "Chamonix and the Range of Mont Blanc," with 65 illustrations and maps; and "Zermatt and the Matterhorn," with 70 illustrations and maps. The first-named may be expected very shortly.

There are supposed to be about 4000 paper factories in the world, according to the available statistics. These produce annually about 7,900,000,000 quires of paper. About half of this amount is used for the printing of books, and 600,000,000 quires are used for the printing of newspapers. England uses the most paper, then follow, in the order named, the United States, Germany, France, Austria, Italy, Mexico, Russia, and Spain.

ARMAND COLLIN & CIE., Paris, have issued two books on economics, intended to bring home to serious readers several of the social problems of the day. "L'Economie de l'Effort" (The Economy of Effort) gives a sketch of the economic history of the world, and dwells upon the fact that all progress depends upon reaching the most useful effects with the least effort. The author shows the means employed by humanity in the different phases of development, how these have been gradually perfected, and also points out such as have failed of their object. The second book, "La Synergie Sociale" (Social Synergy), by Henri Mazel, treats of the correlation and conservation of forces for the good of humanity at large. The author treats his subject historically, and insists that all things work together for good if the one object kept in view is the good of all.

For some time booksellers and others who cater principally to Catholic priests have been in the habit of giving merchandise in exchange for masses said for them by the priests. sum ranging from \$1 up, according to their means, is usually charged Catholics for masses, and this money goes into the pockets of the assistant priests or curates. Those who had any commodity to exchange for masses gradually got into the habit of offering it to the priests in lieu of money, and the latter willingly accepted it, inasmuch as they thought it better than But the ecclesiastical authorities got nothing. wind of the practice, and the following edict has been issued against it by the Sacred Congregation at Rome: "Certain booksellers, merchants, and others, erroneously interpreting the disposition of the Holy See, offer books and other wares to priests who are to celebrate a certain number of masses, the corresponding honoraria of which are to be retained by the merchants as the price of the books or wares offered. In order that priests may not be led into error on this point, it is hereby made known that such a proceeding is severely forbidden under the penalties sanctioned in the decree Vigilanti, which emanated from this Sacred Congregation of the Council on May 20, 1893." A copy of this notice has been sent to all the priests of this archdiocese.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

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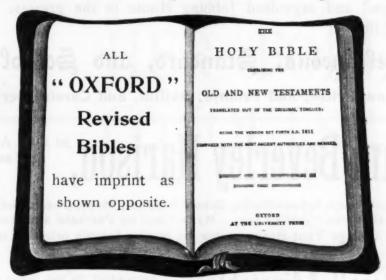
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